



Blue Lake Parks & Recreation Summer Fun 2012

From Kara

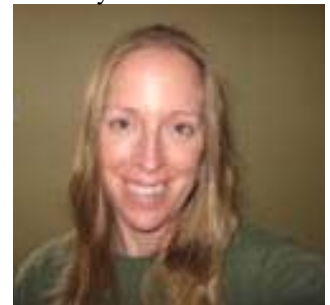
It is my pleasure to introduce you to our dynamic Parks & Recreation staff and programs in our Summer 2012 newsletter! We have recreation programs for all ages and interests: For those of you who enjoy roller skating to awesome music and disco lights, come enjoy our top notch roller skating program! Looking for a fun place to celebrate your birthday? Our Skate Program Supervisor, Tony Vicory, is sure to help make your birthday party at the roller rink a total hit! If you are a **senior**, come check out our Senior Stretch Class with our talented dance instructor, Amanda Arthington. Amanda also teaches ballet classes of all levels including Mommy & Me, Youth and Adult Classes! If you are an **adult** who loves sports, register for one of our many adult sports leagues including Women's Volleyball, Women's Basketball, Men's Basketball and Men's Softball. If you are a **teenager** looking for a fun, safe place to hang out with your friends, come to our Drop-In Recreation Program on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. It's free for youth and teens! Lastly, if you are looking for a safe, exciting and affordable place for your children this Summer, register for Camp Perigot. We are proud to be the most affordable camp in all of Humboldt County, with rates 30% lower than our Arcata neighbor! We are thrilled to have back our amazing Camp Coordinator, Lauren Hall, for the 3rd summer in a row. Campers will have the opportunity to participate in our dance program, work in our community garden, go on many fieldtrips and much more!

Please check out our Special Events including our first ever Movie in the Park, featuring The Wizard of Oz. You won't want to miss a movie under the stars in Perigot Park! Also, check out our Annie & Mary Day events including the bocce ball tournament, pony ride and petting zoo and Nessler Car Show. Both of these awesome events strengthen our sense of community.

I would like to give special thanks to April Sousa, Parks & Recreation commissioner, for all of her hard work making this newsletter happen. I would also like to express my deep appreciation for working as your Parks & Recreation Director, and serving the wonderful community of Blue Lake. I hope each of you find a program or event that enriches your lives.

Warm regards,

Kara Newman
Director of Parks & Recreation



Senior Stretch Class

Monday, Wednesday,
Fridays
10AM

At Skinner Store

Instructor:
Amanda Arthington

Meet Amanda ...

Amanda comes to us with 20 + years of experience teaching and dancing with numerous companies such as Alabama Contemporary Dance. Amanda teaches our Senior Stretch classes as well as ballet classes of all levels including Mommy & Me, Youth and Adult Classes!



Amanda Arthington
Dance Program Supervisor

The Parks and Recreation department works in part with the City Parks and Recreation Commission. The commission works as a support for the department in creating and promoting activities as well as department facilitation. There is one vacancy on this commission. The Parks and Recreation Commission meets every other month, on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at Skinner Store. The next meetings are May 15 and July 17.

The public is encouraged to attend.

Recreation for the Whole Family...



Tony Vicory
Skate Program Supervisor
Tony is the Gold Star Staff
Award winner for Summer!
Under his leadership, our
skate program continues to
be one of our most
successful programs!

Courtney Dexter
Skate Supervisor and
Drop-in
Program Supervisor



Adult Sports Leagues

Men's Basketball League
April 5th-June 7th
Thursdays



Women's Basketball League
February 27th-April 23rd
Mondays

Men's Softball League
April 29th-June 8th
Sundays



Women's Volleyball League
February 19-June 17th



Contact the parks and recreation office for
more information. 668-5932

Roller Skating

Tuesday and Thursdays

Summers - 1-3pm

Friday and Saturdays

6:30-9:30pm

Sundays

2-5pm

Adult only Skate - 2nd Sunday

6:30-9:30pm

8 yrs & ↓ - \$3.25

9-17yrs - \$4

Adults - \$5



Dance Classes

Enrich your life with ballet made fun and
easy. Classes offered for boys and girls of
all ages. Our current session runs through
the June 22nd Recital. Classes will be
offered throughout the summer. Classes are
only \$5 per class.



Instructor:

Amanda Arthington

668-5932

Mondays - 4-5pm
Beginning Adult Ballet

Wednesdays - 4-5pm
Beginners 10yrs. & up

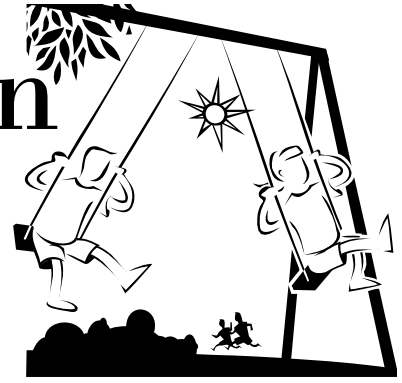
Thursdays - 4-5pm
Beginners 7-9yrs.

Fridays - 4-5pm
Beginners 4-6yrs.

Wednesdays - 11am-12pm
Mommy/Daddy & Me

Summer Camp Fun

Join us for summer camp June 18-August 24 2012. At Camp Perigot, your child will experience many adventures while exploring the outdoors, playing games, creating art, and much more.



When: June 18 - August 24

Cost: **Resident Discount:** \$86/full-day/week, \$45/half day/week, \$22/daily full day, \$12 daily half-day. **Extended Care:** weekly/\$23, daily/\$5

Non-Resident: \$103/full-day/week, \$63/half-day/week, \$26/daily full day, \$15 daily half-day.

Hours: 9am-4pm - full day, 9am-12pm/1am-4pm half day,
8-9am and 4-5:30pm extended hours

FREE BREAKFAST AND LUNCH!!

Meet Lauren Hall,
Summer Recreation and School Break
Camp Coordinator



This is Lauren's 3rd year as Camp Coordinator!!

L.I.T Program

Join our team at Camp Perigot for a summer of fun! Spend a minimum of three weeks volunteering as a leader in training and learn wonderful job skills working with children. Help plan activities and participate in games and field trips. Must be 13 years or older.

Summer Camp Themes

June 18-22 - Only One Ocean

June 25-29 - Think Green!

July 2-6 - Savory Sports
(closed July 4)

July 9-13 - A Pirate's Life for me

July 16-20 - Myth Busters

July 23-27 - Imaginarium

July 30-Aug. 3 - Animal Planet

Aug. 6-10 - Perigot Olympics

Aug. 13-17 & Aug. 20-24 - Kids Take Charge!

It's all about Community...



Lemonade Day is a unique opportunity for families, businesses, and the community to come together for a common purpose – to train the next generation of entrepreneurs. This fun, and free, learning program teaches children and youth how to start their own business using a lemonade stand.

Lemonade Day is June 2nd.

To Register for Lemonade Day, contact
Kara at 668-5932



Annie & Mary Days
July 15th

Parade 11AM



Bocce Ball Tournament



Petting Zoo/Pony Rides



Roller Skating 1-4pm



Playgroup for Parents
and Children

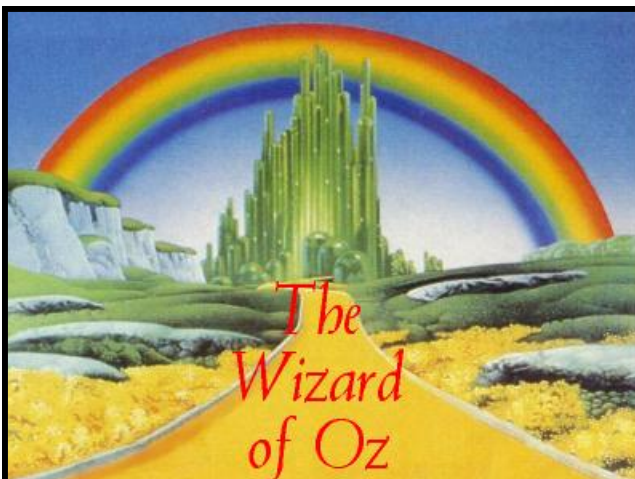
Come join parents, caregivers
and children ages birth to age 5
for fun and socializing.

Tuesdays/Thursdays

Prasch Hall - Perigot Park

10am-noon

Sponsored by Humboldt First 5



Movie in the Park

July 13th - begins at sundown!

FREE!!

Come dressed up as your favorite
Wizard of Oz Character!!

Facility Rentals

In keeping with the city's mission- to offer affordable, welcoming and well-maintained facilities in which events may be offered that promote social harmony, further community involvement and increase the quality of life for community members- the City of Blue Lake offers many park and recreation facilities for rental.

- **Prasch Hall Activity Center**, which houses a gymnasium, a game area and kitchen. You can rent one, two, or all three areas to meet your needs.
- **Roller Rink Skate Rental**
- **Perigot Park Picnic Area, Serving Booth & Barbeque Area**
- **Concession Stand**
- **Clemence Softball/Baseball Field**
- **Iorg Field** (Little League Field)
- **Horse Arena**
- **Tennis Courts**

Contact Kara at 668-5932 for Facility Rentals.



Meet the Grounds Staff



← Thomas Whalen
Park Caretaker

Jacob Meng →
Park and Facility
Maintenance



Playgrounds located at Perigot Park
312 South Railroad
AND
The Tot Lot - for the youngest members
of our community
440 I Street

More Recreation



PUBLIC SKATE PARTIES

- Rent tables during Friday / Saturday 6:30PM-9:30PM or Sunday 2:00PM-5:00PM \$25 First table \$15 Additional table.
- Purchase bulk skate passes for your guests \$75 (24 Skaters)\$40 (12 skaters) \$25 (6 skaters). Save money, buy in bulk.
- Limited number of spaces available on these nights, please kindly give us 2 weeks notice.

SKATE PARTIES

- Rent the facility for your birthday party. Prices based upon number of skaters in a two hour rental period, additional hours can be added for \$50/hour.
- Limited time slots available for skate parties are:

Saturdays

11:00AM—1:00PM
1:30PM—3:30PM
4:00PM—6:00PM

Sundays

11:30AM—1:30PM

Attendance

Up to 25
26-50
51-75
76-100
101-135

Non Profit/Youth/School Rates

\$100
\$125
\$150
\$175
\$200

Private/Business Rates

\$125
\$150
\$175
\$200
\$225

Maximum capacity is 135 skaters.

DROP-IN RECREATION

Tuesdays & Wednesdays: Basketball
6:00-8:00 P.M.
Prasch Hall

FREE FOR YOUTH & TEENS!

GAME ROOM & CONCESSION STAND ALWAYS OPEN!

**CLIMBING WALL, POOL,
PING-PONG, FOOSBALL, X-BOX
& ARTS & CRAFTS!!!**

Sponsored by BLT4C, the Ink People, & Blue Lake Rancheria.



Blue Lake Tennis League
April 16-June 10

10 and under - Practice Mondays - 3:30-4:30 Blue Lake Courts

Matches Saturday - 12-2 Larson Park, Arcata

12 and under - Practice Mondays - 5-6 Blue Lake Courts

Matches Saturdays - 12-2 Larson Park

For more information call Peter 616-4781 or Onawa 407-5089
Keep your eyes peeled for the next session this Summer!

Thank you to our Sponsors...



Blue Lake Rancheria - for providing free breakfast and lunch for every camper and campership donations.



Green Diamond Resource Center
California Redwood Company and
Bettendorf Trucking for woodchips.



Almquist Lumber, Pierson Building Center and Blue Lake Chamber of Commerce for funding and supplies for park signs.



City Green Waste Day



May 19 & June 30



Free Green Waste disposal for City Residents Taylor Way
in the Industrial Park

General Weekly Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2:00p-5:00p Skating	**8:00a-5:30p Camp Perigot	**8:00a-5:30p Camp Perigot	**8:00a-5:30p Camp Perigot	**8:00a-5:30p Camp Perigot	**8:00a-5:30p Camp Perigot	6:30p-9:30p Skating
6:30p-9:30p 2nd Sunday of each month Adult Skate	10:00a-11:00a Senior Stretch	10:00a-12:00p Play Group	10:00a-11:00a Senior Stretch	10:00a-12:00p Play Group	10:00a-12:00p Senior Stretch	11:00a-1:00p Skate Party Time Slot
11:30a-1:30p Skate party Time Slot	11:00a-12:00p Mommy/ Daddy and me	*1:00p-3:00p Skating	11:00a-12:00p Mommy/ Daddy and me	*1:00p-3:00p Skating	4:00p-5:00p Beginner Ballet 4-6yrs	1:30p-3:30p Skate Party Time Slot
	4:00p-5:00p Adult Ballet	6:00p-8:00p Drop-In Recreation	4:00p-5:00p Beginner Ballet 10&up	4:00p-5:00p Beginner Ballet 7-9yrs	6:30p-9:30p Skating	4:00p-6:00p Skate Party Time Slot
			6:00p-8:00p Drop-In Recreation			

** Summer camp runs June 18-Aug. 24, 2012

* Tues./Thurs. Skate begins June 5th

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Parks and Recreation
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www.bluelake.ca.gov
707-668-5932

Need more information on these recreation activities?

- ~ send an email to: and get on our email list.
- ~ check out the Parks & Recreation website:
www.bluelake.ca.gov/city/parks-and-recreation
- ~ like our page on facebook:
search for Blue Lake & Recreation.
- ~ Call the Parks & Recreation department office at 668-5932



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